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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Nielsen et al. Confirmation No: 9394

Serial No.: 10/625,115 Group Art Unit: 1652

Filed: July 22, 2003 Examiner: Prouty

For: Thermostable Glucoamylase

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
2. Amendment

was sent to the United States Patent and Trademark Office by telefax to the attention of Examiner Prouty, fax number 571-273-8300.

Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2005.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of three months from April 26, 2005 to July 26, 2005. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$1,020.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension fee, estimated to be \$1,020, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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In response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: